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: CHARGED FINE PARTCULATE WATE, AND METHOD OF

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Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 12, 2006 and in accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicants hereby submit a copy of the Taiwanese Examination Report dated September 3, 2007, with respect to corresponding counterpart Taiwanese Patent Application No. 093115047, in which the following documents were cited:

- (1) WO 01/68242 A1, September 20, 2001; and
- (2) U.S. Patent No. 6,555,611 B2 (TACHIFUJI et al.), April 29, 2003; Applicants note that this document is a family member of document (1)

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Copies of above-listed documents (with the exception of the U.S. Patent), the Taiwanese Examination Report and English translation thereof are enclosed together with a complete copy of the PTO-1449 Form listing these documents. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to consider these documents and to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached Form, and to return a copy of the completed Form to Applicants with the

next official communication in the present application.

Further to 37 C.F.R. §1.98 (a)(2)(ii), a copy of the U.S. patent is not enclosed herewith. However, if a copy is needed, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Applicants note that an Office Action on the merits has not yet issued in the instant application, and thus, no fee is necessary to ensure consideration of this statement. However, if an Office Action has issued and is crossing in the mail with this statement, the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-0089 any fee necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted materials.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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